

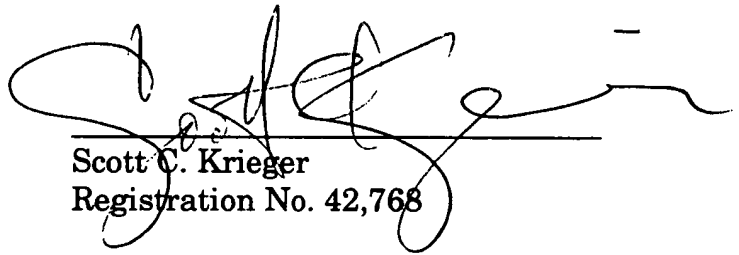
REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Preliminary
Amendment and consideration of the application as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX "A"

Cross Reference to Related Applications

This application is a continuation-in-part (CIP) of U.S. patent application Serial Number 09/894,928, filed June 28, 2001, entitled "Methods and Systems for Page-Independent Spool File Sheet Assembly," invented by Andrew Rodney Ferlitsch, et al., now U.S. Letters Patent No.

_____ ; which is a continuation-in-part (CIP) of two U.S. patent applications: U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 09/681,409, filed March 30, 2001, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor-Based Printer Status Detection and Print Task Distribution," invented by Andrew Rodney Ferlitsch, et al., now U.S. Letters Patent No. _____ ;
and U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 09/681,416, filed March 30, 2001, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor-Based Print Task Error Recovery," invented by Andrew Rodney Ferlitsch, et al., now U.S. Letters Patent No. _____ ; both of which are continuation-in-part patent applications of U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 09/681,208, filed February 22, 2001, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor-Modified Printing," invented by Andrew Rodney Ferlitsch, et al., now U.S. Letters Patent No. _____ ; which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/261,132, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor-Modified Printing," invented by Andrew Rodney Ferlitsch, et al., filed January 11, 2001.

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~~This application claims the benefit of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/261,132, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor Modified Printing" filed January 11, 2001 by inventors Ferlitsch et al; this application also claims the benefit of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/681,208, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor Modified Printing" filed February 22, 2001 by inventors Ferlitsch et al; this application also claims the benefit of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/681,409, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor Based Printer Status Detection and Print Task Distribution" filed March 30, 2001 by inventors Ferlitsch et al; this application further claims the benefit of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/894,928, entitled "Methods and Systems for Page-Independent Spool File Sheet Assembly" filed June 28, 2001 by inventor Ferlitsch; this application further claims the benefit of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/681,416, entitled "Methods and Systems for Print-Processor Based Print Task Error Recovery" filed March 30, 2001 by inventors Ferlitsch et al.~~